

Appl. No. 10/710,370  
Amtd. dated June 22, 2006  
Reply to Office action of March 22, 2006

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

**1.Rejection of claims 1, 2, 6-10 and 12 under U.S.C 112:**

The specification has been amended to overcome this rejection. Specifically, the  
5 recitations "Specifically, the sterilizing process 90 is performed when the water solution  
in the filter 108 turns neutral. Once the wafer solution in the filter 108 is neutral, sodium  
hypochlorite (NaOCL) is added into the filter 108." have been added to [0024] in the  
specification. No new matter is introduced by this amendment. Claims 1 and 7 are now  
clearly supported by the specification, and reconsideration of claims 1, 2, 6-10 and 12 is  
10 therefore requested.

Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this  
case.

15 Sincerely yours,

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